

TARTAR THINCLADS SCORE TRIPLE WINS



Verry Replaces Schindler as Head Camino Grid Coach

Announcement that Norm Verry will replace Amby Schindler as head football coach at El Camino College was made Friday by college officials.

Schindler, who held down the head grid post since El Camino first entered into inter-collegiate activity, will take over as backfield instructor, it was revealed.

Verry joined the El Camino camp as line coach in September, 1950, and helped round the Warriors into Metropolitan League championship form that year.

The following summer he was snatched back into the Marine Corps, and was released only last week after 16 months of service.

Both Verry and Schindler are ex-USC football greats. Verry, who was at the helm of the Inglewood High grid squad for several years, consistently came up with crown-wearing outfits. Three of El Camino's coaches are former Inglewood head men.

Alondra Fete Ready to Go

An array of professional and college gridiron greats have been signed for the annual Football Golf Tournament slated to get under way tomorrow morning at Alondra Park.

Anyone professionally connected now or at any time in the past with football is eligible to pick up the clubs and have a round at the 18 holes.

The public is invited to view the grand-slam spectacle.



CLOSE FINISH . . . A rather heated dispute followed the running of this 440-yard run at the Tartar track meet Friday when finish judges ruled that Bill Thompson, right, St. Anthony's trackster, nudged out Torrance's Ted Marcoux. The Saint trotter's chest hit the tape first, and that's what counts, judges said. Thompson collapsed a second after this picture was snapped. (P.S.—We think the judge was right).

Double Sweeps Help Pile Up THS Points

The weather was hot and so were the Tartars Friday afternoon as varsity, Bee and Cee thinclads scooted to a victory apiece as the Torrance High cindermen hosted Long Beach's St. Anthony's runners for the only home track event of the season.

Scoring coach Vern Wolfe's varsity nudged the Saints, 56-48; the Bee boys outshined their guests, 56-39, and the Cee blast a 50-27 victory.

A clean sweep in the mile gave the Tartars nine big points which helped in no tiny way to boost the maroon-clad spikers on their winning way. Bill Crawford was clocked in 5m. 58. as he zipped over the winner's line, followed by Joe Rojas and Buzz Zamoura.

Another 1-2-3 win in the pole vault increased the margin which the Saints tried in vain to close. Larry Roy skimmed the 11-ft. 4-in. mark to come within inches of tying the standing Torrance High record for the event.

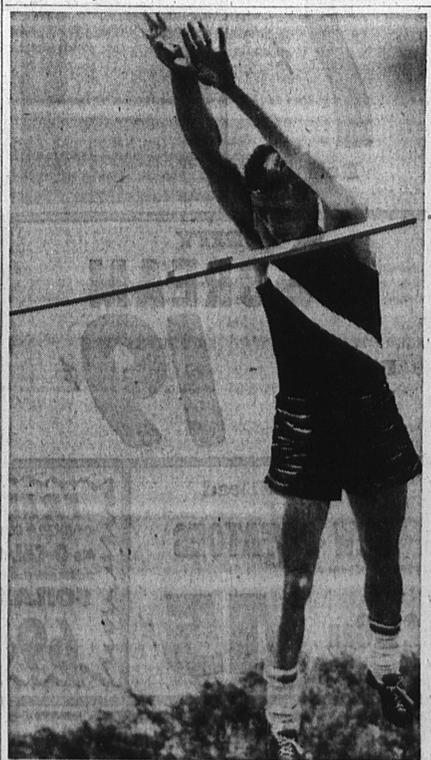
He cleared what was thought to be 11 ft. 6 in. with little trouble but ran out of tries at 12 ft. Measurement revealed that the pole sagged some two inches, and the lanky vaulter was credited with the 11-ft. 4-in. height.

Burt Smith and Tom Mallard tied for a second place in the vault, netting some additional revenue for the scoring chart.

Biggest upset of the afternoon was a nip-and-tuck quarter-mile in which Ted Marcoux

Event	Winner	Time
660—Guerra (T), Hunt (T), Herman (SA), 1m. 36s.	Guerra (T)	1:36
150 Low Hurdles—Wavell (SA), Schuster (SA), Martin (SA), 15.3s.	Wavell (SA)	15.3
High Jump—Heater (T), Kelly (T), Morgan (T), 5-ft. 2-in.	Heater (T)	5-2
Shot Put—Forth (T), Roman (SA), Martin (SA), 44-ft. 4 1/2-in.	Forth (T)	44-4 1/2
Broad Jump—Bryant (T), Shutt (SA), Morgan (T), 18-ft. 9 1/2-in.	Bryant (T)	18-9 1/2
Pole Vault—Forth (T), Desmond (T), Bartle (SA), 16-ft.	Forth (T)	16
440 Relay—Torrance (Bryant, Scranton, Heater, Forth), 49.7s.	Torrance	49.7
Final Score—Torrance 50, Saint Anthony 27.		

AAU UPSET
Biggest upset of the 1951 AAU track and field championships was young Parry O'Brien's mighty shot-put heave of 55 ft. 9 1/2 in. which nosed out favored Jim Fuchs' put.



NEARS RECORD . . . Larry Roy skims the pole vault crossbar at 11 ft. 4 in. to near the standing Torrance High mark of 11 ft. 7 in. The Tartars rolled to a three-way victory Friday afternoon over St. Anthony's cindermen.

Tartar Nine Nipped On Fog Bound Field

Hard luck and fog shrouded the Seahawk diamond Thursday afternoon, at least as far as the Tartars were concerned.

For the Torrance varsity nine was nipped by a lesser-hitting Redondo High crew, 3-2, in a Bay League fracas which put the locals in a 0 for 4 placing near the bottom of the ladder.

Leftfielder Burt Smith, who leads the pack in batting, clouted out three bingles for four tries and came home with the money for the two lone runs of the day.

Smith and his partners, Walt McHenry and Fred Guerra, got lots of credit from Tartar Mentor Dick Leech for the fine outfielding they did despite the fog.

The Tartars muffed a grand-slam chance to murder the Hawks in the seventh, and lost two other high scoring opportunities, once in the fourth and another in the sixth.

Guerra, first man up in the last frame, was given a free pass to first by Seahawk Hurier Richie Hatano. Second-baseman Jim Murphy clouted a single, advancing Guerra to second.

Crawford and Smith both went down on fly balls snagged by Centerfielder Bill Bayne; then Charlie Camou was issued a walk, and with two away and the bases bulging, McHenry struck out after taking a 3-2 count.

In the fourth, Smith and Camou got on, but Hatano turned

TORRANCE	AB	R	H	E
Guerra, rf	4	0	0	0
Murphy, 2b	4	0	1	1
Crawford, ss	4	0	0	0
Smith, lf	4	2	3	0
Camou, p	4	0	1	0
McHenry, cf	4	0	0	0
White, 1b	3	0	1	1
Lemaster, 3b	2	0	0	1
Christenson, c	2	0	0	0
Totals	33	2	6	3

REDONDO	AB	R	H	E
Swarzenberg, ss	2	0	0	1
Wetzel, 2b	3	1	1	0
Scharer, 1b	3	0	1	0
Bayne, cf	3	0	0	0
Praetor, rf	3	1	0	0
Geach, lf	3	1	2	0
Weise, c	3	0	1	1
Zimley, 3b	3	0	0	1
Hatano, p	3	0	0	0
Totals	27	3	4	3

TORRANCE JUNIOR VARSITY	AB	R	H	E
Torrance	104	220	0-10	8
Redondo	130	512	0-12	8
Speckmeyer and Crawley	000	021	0-3	4

Vacation Period Softball Slate

Boys between the ages of 8 and 15 years are invited to enter the Easter Vacation Boys Softball Roundup to be staged at five city parks, Elmer "Red" Moon, municipal athletic director, stated this week.

Registration will be held starting Monday at 10 o'clock for those who want to sign onto a team. The parks will be open from 10 until 4 every day, Moon said.

Parks which are participating in the vacation program include the Fern Ave. diamond, Greenwood and El Dorado Aves.; Torrance Park, Arlington and Santa Fe Aves.; McMaster Park, 17th St. and Yukon Ave.; Walteria Park, 242nd St. and Ocean Ave. and El Retiro Park, Pacific Coast Hwy. and Vista Del Parque, Hollywood Riviera. Adult supervision will be provided, it was stated.

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